



JENNIFER STEADMAN

As the Executive Director of the Hartford region Aurora Foundation for Women and Girls, Ms. Steadman took a leadership and steadfast approach to understanding and highlighting the impact of Covid-19 on women in Connecticut. She spearheaded a collaboration among the women and girls foundations and the CT Collective for Women and Girls in the state to gather relevant information from various stakeholders in such areas as: health, safety, essential worker employment, child care, and eviction for example Her diligence and leadership resulted in the recent publication of "Essential Equity: Women, Covid-19 and Rebuilding CT". The report documents the disproportionate impact of Covid-19 on women and girls, and particularly on women and girls of color.